We speak to Vinny

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In brief

12 chosen

After a series of interviews and training, 12 students were recently chosen to be members of the 1987-88 Judicial Board. They are: Vincent Azzue, Anthony Shaler, Benjamin Burch, Derek Benedicto, Larry Pilka, Steve Humpries, Chris Cooper, Doug Scott, Bobby Farina, Ellen Fitzgerald, Julianne Mello, and Laura Werman.

Under the direction of Frankie Minor, these students will hear and decide on disciplinary cases regarding the residence halls.

Outstanding!

College President Msgr. Frank Mouch has been named an "Outstanding Alumni" by the Pontifical College Josephinum. Ten alumni were selected and will be honored at a banquet on Dec. 5 in Columbus, Ohio, following an Advent Evening Prayer Service. Bernard Cardinal Law, one of the outstanding alumni named, will preside at the Evening Prayer.

Hardtke elected

Congratulations to the newly elected Secretary/Treasurer of the College Union Board, Kim Hardtke. College Union Board officers and members decided to change the terms of the officers from the January to December tenure to September-April.

Amanda French is the new vice president of the College Union Board which was not decided by ballot. Rather, she comes into office filling the vacancy that came about as a result of Terri Giardino fullfilling a practicum on her way to graduation in April.

Get on TV

Producers of a Jones Intercable television show called Hot Seat are searching for animated, spirited college students to sit in a studio audience each week, according to the show's talent coordinator.

The show, which airs every Saturday at 6 p.m., is an interview program with some traditional and untraditional guests, she said.

This week, the featured guest will be the editor of the "Alternative Rag," one of the Tampa Area's few underground publications. Future guests include Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) members, and the Prancing Poker Pig Racers.

Students should wear their school colors or Greek t-shirts, the talent coordinator said, "Last week we had some students from the University of Tampa, and it was a lot of fun," she said.

Interested students should call Michelle at (813) 875-6949. The studio is located at 1001 N. B Street in Tampa, and audience members should arrive at about 5:30 p.m. on Saturdays, she said.

We have prospered

Father Marion entertains audience with Saint Leo history

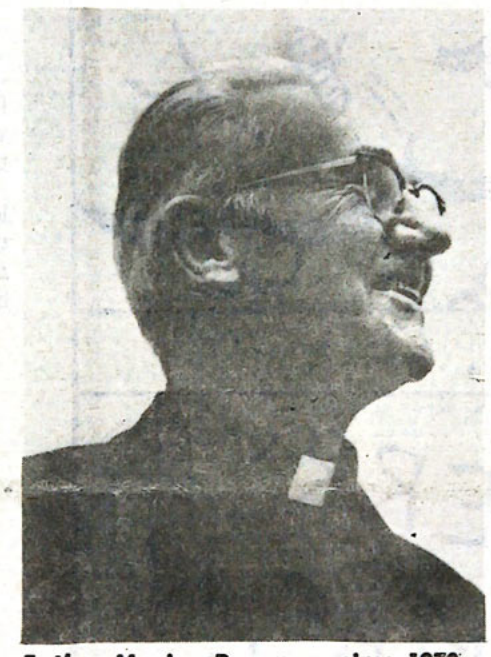
By DAVID PETERSON
Monarch Features Editor

"We have prospered as the state has," said Father Marion Bowman, O.S.B., recently at the Honors Program Colloquim. Being Founders Day for Saint Leo College and also the Feast of Saint Leo the Great, the subject of the Colloquim was, appropriately, an overall view of the Saint Leo Abbey and College community. This was the first official colloquim to be offered by the Honors Program and was spearheaded by Dr. Tyson Anderson, the current director of the Honors Program and Chairman of Religious Studies/Philosophy. Father Marion was chosen to be the inaugural speaker.

He began with the birth of St. Benedict, who founded the first religious order in 529 A.D., at Monte Cassino, Italy. In Father Marion's view, it is at this time that the St. Leo history properly begins. The purpose of St. Benedict's work was to bring men together in a community of prayer, work, and sharing and to provide a working example of what the Church was like.

In 600 A.D. abbeys began to be established by Brothers of St. Benedict in England. This represented the first sending out of monks to another country and occurred under the reign of Pope Gregory I.

The history of Saint Leo begins in 1880 when Edmund Dunne, a judge from Philadelphia, received 50,000 acres from the state. He and his son came down to survey the property and founded a Catholic colony in 1881 which was named San Antonio. Several farm villages were organized around the city approximately 2½ miles away. To the north, German immigrants from Minnesota had settled the colony of Saint Joseph. At this time San Antonio had become settled mostly by Irish Catholics and the Germans of St. Joseph needed and wanted priests who speak German and English. They made their request to Bishop Moore of St. Vincent Abbey in Pennsylvania, then the headquarters of the Benedict Order in America. By 1887 the need for a priest was confirmed and the Benedictine Order sent Father Derard Pilts, O.S.B.



Father Marion Bowman, circa 1970

"The boys did lots of exercises and drilled three times a week, which helped use up a lot of excessive energy."

The need for a Catholic School and Church then became evident. To satisfy the academic need, the state of Florida granted the rights to a college on June 4, 1889. And also during that year the building of the first Saint Leo Abbey was begun by Bishop Leo Haid, O.S.B.

On September 5, 1890, the first class of 65 students started school according to Father Marion, "it was because of the discipline it inspired and the service to the county it instilled. The boys did lots of exercises and drilled three times a week, which helped to use up a lot of excessive energy."

By 1894, Saint Leo had become officially incorporated and a Weather Station and Western Union office were established. The total number of Benedictine brothers had risen to 11 along with a total of eight Fathers.

In 1902, the Church of Saint Leo became an Abbey proper and Father Mohr was elected as its first Abbot. The years of 1902-1920 saw the construction and completion of Saint Leo Hall. The work was overseen by Brother Porger, a hunchback, who handmade all the blocks that went into its building. The hall was completed in two phases; the west (Abbey) side in 1911, and the east (College side) in 1920.

The school became accredited in 1921 and by 1925 there was a total of 112 students. Construction of Saint Edward Hall began this time. Father Marion also noted that 1921 saw the coming of radios to Saint Leo, on a short-wave wireless built by Brother Paul in the physics lab.

The destruction of the old Abbey in 1928 left Saint Leo without an Abbey. But this was remedied in 1937 when then Abbot Francis laid the cornerstone for what is now the familiar Abbey Church.

Saint Leo continued to prosper through the 1940's and 50's with the building of Saint Francis (1951) and Saint Charles (1958) Halls. In 1956 Father Marion, who was Abbot at the time, lead the drive to upgrade Saint Leo to a junior college level. It was done in 1959 and the school became co-educational. Finally, in September of 1963, Saint Leo was granted the right to confer bachelor degrees.

Bop and hoop

By ELIZABETH DRYSDALE AND JOHN O'MOHONEY
Monarch Staff Writer

Recently, Saint Leo Students were seen twisting and shouting for the benefit of local charities. This all took place at the campus Ministry annual 50's Dance.

The night was Nov. 13, the place was Saint Leo, and the year was 1954. Some students showed off their more unusual talents, through the various contests they entered. There was a dance, nerd and hula hoop contest along with a fashion show. The best bopping couple was Gary Shanabarger and Jen Sweeney, while Paul Fay was the nerd of the hour, Clair Berry could hoop better than anyone and Theresa Pepe was best dressed in her green party dress.

The night was a huge success, and the money made was used for Thanksgiving baskets. On Tuesday, November 17, after the daily mass, at which the baskets were blessed by Father Leo, they were distributed by Saint Leo Students to local families.

Party time for kids

By PAULA CAPRON

It's that time of the year again, when you yourself can feel like a child. Once again the Deserving Children Party is right around the corner, Dec. 5 at the Dan Cannon Auditorium at the Pasco County Fair grounds in Dade City.

Like last year, we expect to see 700-800 children at this event. The amount of $3,300 was spent on gifts for these children so they too can have that special feeling of Christmas. As a Tampa Tribune article noted, "the deserving children are not only those that are poor or needy, they're children that for some reason or the other won't have a very happy holiday."

This event is supported by members of the Kiwanis-sponsored Circle K Club at Saint Leo College and the Key Club at Pasco Comprehensive High School.

For Circle K, this is a very special project. At the deserving children party, each volunteer is given at least seven children to chaperone; these children are entertained by the various activities that are planned for them such as the clown show, the magicians, the bluegrass music and, for the first time last year, films that showed the meaning of Christmas.

The most special part of this event is the giving of gifts. Each child's name is called out and he or she is presented with a gift. It's a special feeing to see some of the smiles on those happy faces, and it's also a smile that you'll never forget.

Get the Christmas spirit by joining Circle K and other service organizations Dec. 5 and give a helping hand at the deserving Children Christmas Party.

This is a very special time for most of those unfortunate children and, for some of them, this may be the only Christmas present they will receive for the Christmas season.

Barbie and G.I. Joe still tops

By JOHN A. MERULLO
Monarch Staff Writer

As we draw near Christmas, our thoughts turn toward spending time with our loved ones, eating special foods, decorating the tree, singing carols and, of course, the birth of Christ. However another thing Christmas brings to mind is toys. We fondly recall those anxious Christmas Eves of so long ago when we could not sleep as all we could think about was Santa Claus coming to fill our stockings with goodies and to leave presents under the tree. Therefore I have asked many of the Saint Leo students and faculty to recall their favorite toy(s) and share those memories with our readers.

Among our students, the most popular childhood toys were Barbie dolls for girls and the old 12-inch G.I. Joe doll for boys. However, many other favorites were to be found. Mary Jude ('89) reports that her favorite toy was her four-foot "Laura" doll. Terri Giardino and Patti Gunson (both '88), loved to hop around on Hoppity-Hop and Hoppity-Horse respectively. While Nasaria Suckoo ('90) made music on her electric organ, Michelle Hill ('90) listened to music on her record player. Alvaro De Castro ('90) says his favorite toys were the huts he built out of sticks and leaves. Susan Davis Jackson ('88) enjoyed a simple pin wheel and Kaleidescope. Paul Benoit ('90) liked to throw around his football. When Beth Budd ('91) wasn't swinging on her swing set or riding her hobby horse, she could be found playing with her Red Riding Hood doll. Cyndee Thomas ('88) loved to ride her tricycle so much, she thought an illness was caused by it. Annette Graziano ('91) had her Baby Tears doll, which she thought was the best ever. Finally Sister Rockie Millerman, OSB, and a certain John A. Merullo ('90) agree (along with Father Leo Schlosser, OSB) that the best toy is a teddy bear.

The most interesting part of this assignment has been interviewing faculty. As they are all rather eccentric (I truly mean it as a compliment) I decided that English professors would be the best people to ask. Dr. Poznar had a set of real lead soldiers. Dr. Budd had tin soldiers which he shot with a pop-gun. Dr. Brown enjoyed riding his bicycle and playing with a flashlight. Miss Snyder also had a bicycle as well as a life-size cardboard Shirley Temple doll which got torn by an angry neighbor child. Dr. Woodard enjoyed an electric football game (believe it or not), Dr. Prizeman had his drawstring-top, and Dr. Newton had a baseball bat. Mr. Pendexter played with a kazoo and a yo-yo.

I'd like to thank everyone for sharing their memories with us. I hope Santa is good to you this year!

Cartoons by
Dennis Richardson

Take time to reflect

By CYNDEE THOMAS
Monarch Editor

When you are home putting the star on the Christmas Tree or wrapping the last Christmas present, take a moment to reflect on ways to keep the magic of Christmas alive throughout the year ahead.

At Christmas, we remember to send old friends a card, rejoicing at good news to share with him or her. Why not drop a few lines to the person more often? If writing takes too long and seems to be a chore, simply pick up the telephone every now and then to chat. You may find out that this loved one needed your help or maybe you can exchange a joke or two.

In the spirit of the season, we are kind to one another. We extend good will in the Christmas season, lasting for about a month. There are many ways to be nice to everyone, but the most important way, which we may tend to overlook, is to remember that kindness is a gift in itself and we provide this for free.

As we think of friends and take on a spirit of goodwill, may we celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. If attending a church service during the holidays, may we draw inspiration to guide us all year long.

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The sound of music

By GREG McDOUGAL
Monarch Staff Writer

You have read in previous issues about the new choral director, Dr. Daniel J. Delisi. You've also read about the new Saint Leo College Chorale, which is open to any interested student. You may have also read about the Oratorio Society, which consists of students and participants from surrounding communities. Yet, there is more: We now have a Madrigal Group that performs an intricate selection of Medieval vocal works.

Now that you know about them, do you know what they're doing? Recently, the faculty, staff, and Board of Trustees were treated to the musical debut of the Saint Leo College Chorale. The Chorale performed a few selections from a medley of Broadway show tunes, complete with choreography (Thanks to the instruction of Jacalyn Bryan and Sue Deloge) and their new dress and tuxedo outfits (thanks to the efforts of Mr. Ghiotto and Sacino and Sons of Tampa).

On Nov. 19, the Chorale and Madrigals joined efforts with the Jazz Ensemble, directed by John Higgins in putting on a fall concert for students and general public in the McDonald Center Cafeteria. They

Dr. Dan Delisi

performed numbers like — "That's Entertainment," and "Tomorrow."

On Dec. 10, the Oratorio Society will put on its Christmas concert, performing selections from Handel's "Messiah" with accompaniment by members of the Florida orchestra. The show will be at 8:15 at St. Anthony's Church in San Antonio.

Purrfectly nice show

By DAVID PETERSON
Monarch Features Editor

"Cats." The mere mention of that name instantly brings to mind New York and Broadway. Based on T.S. Eliot's "Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats," the musical was composed by Andrew Lloyd Webber and directed by Trevor Nunn. It opened in London in 1981 and in New York in 1983. Soon after, a series of touring versions of "Cats" hit the road. One such touring company performed at the Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center. And it's quite a show.

Granted it's not the Broadway production, but such is the nature of a touring company. The set has been altered for easy transportation. The Broadway productions's set required total reconstruction of the Winter Garden Theatre, the New York productions house.

And although the company is not the original performing company, the acting, singing, and choreography was top notch.

Sitting in the uppermost balcony, four rows from the back, was a slight disadvantage; however, this has no effect on the overall performance.

"Cats" is the story of the Jellicle cats who gather once a year to hold a Jellicle Ball; during the Jellicle Ball a cat is selected to begin a new life. Other than this, the show has no real plot. It is a series of various portraits of different cats with names such as Old Deuternonmy; The Run Tun Trigger; Mistoffelees, the magical cat; Mungojerrie and Rumpleteazer; and Grizabella, the Glamour Cat.

For those of you who have as yet to see the show, the opportunity has come and gone. The show is sold out for the rest of the run.

Love that Partridge family!

By JOHN ASHFIELD
Monarch Staff Writer

Johnny Mathis - Merry Christmas
(Columbia)

A classic. Contains renditions of just about every Christmas standard. "The First Noel" and "Silent Night" are the albums highlights. A great record to play while eating.

Ray Conniff - We Wish You A Merry Christmas
(Columbia)

Best Christmas record available. Vocal jazz with a swinging beat. Some of it sounds stupid, but almost every Christmas album does anyway, so who cares?

The Beach Boys Christmas Album (Capitol)

Nauseating. Only listenable if you are a diehard Beach Boy fan or if you're in a weird mood.

The Phil Spectur Christmas Album (MCA)

The girl group sound of the sixties sings Christmas Carols. Wow. An exciting album if there ever was one.

The Partridge Family Christmas Album
(Bell)

This is a very hard album to find but it is worth looking for. It's everything we've come to expect from Shirley and her clan and more. A must for Christmas.

La Triviata, Part IV

By JOHN A. MERULLO
Monarch Staff Writer

To celebrate Christmas, all of these questions (1-10) are about seasonal songs and Christmas carols:

1. What is the name of the horse in "Jingle Bells"?
2. The refrain to what carol is considered the oldest Christmas song?
3. All totalled up, how many gifts does "my true love" receive on all of the Twelve Days of Christmas?
4. Of which gifts does this person receive the greatest quantities?
5. What is "Adeste Fidelis" called in English?
6. What country gave the song "Silent Night" in 1818?
7. What Christmas song is the top-selling record of all time?
8. Which two musical instruments are mentioned in "Santa Claus is Coming to Town"?
9. What did the shepherd boy in "Do You Hear What I Hear?" want to bring for the Infant Jesus?
10. What Christmas carol was sung on the last episode of The Edge of Night?

BONUS QUESTION: What do Joyeux Noel, Buon Natale, Zalig Keertsfeest, and God Jul mean?

Answers

ANSWERS
1. Bobtail
2. "Angels We Have Heard on High"
3. 354
4. Geese-a Laying and swans-a-swimming (42 of each)
5. "O Come All Ye Faithful"
6. Austria
7. "White Christmas"
8. Little tin horns and little toy drums
9. Silver and gold
10. "The First Noel"

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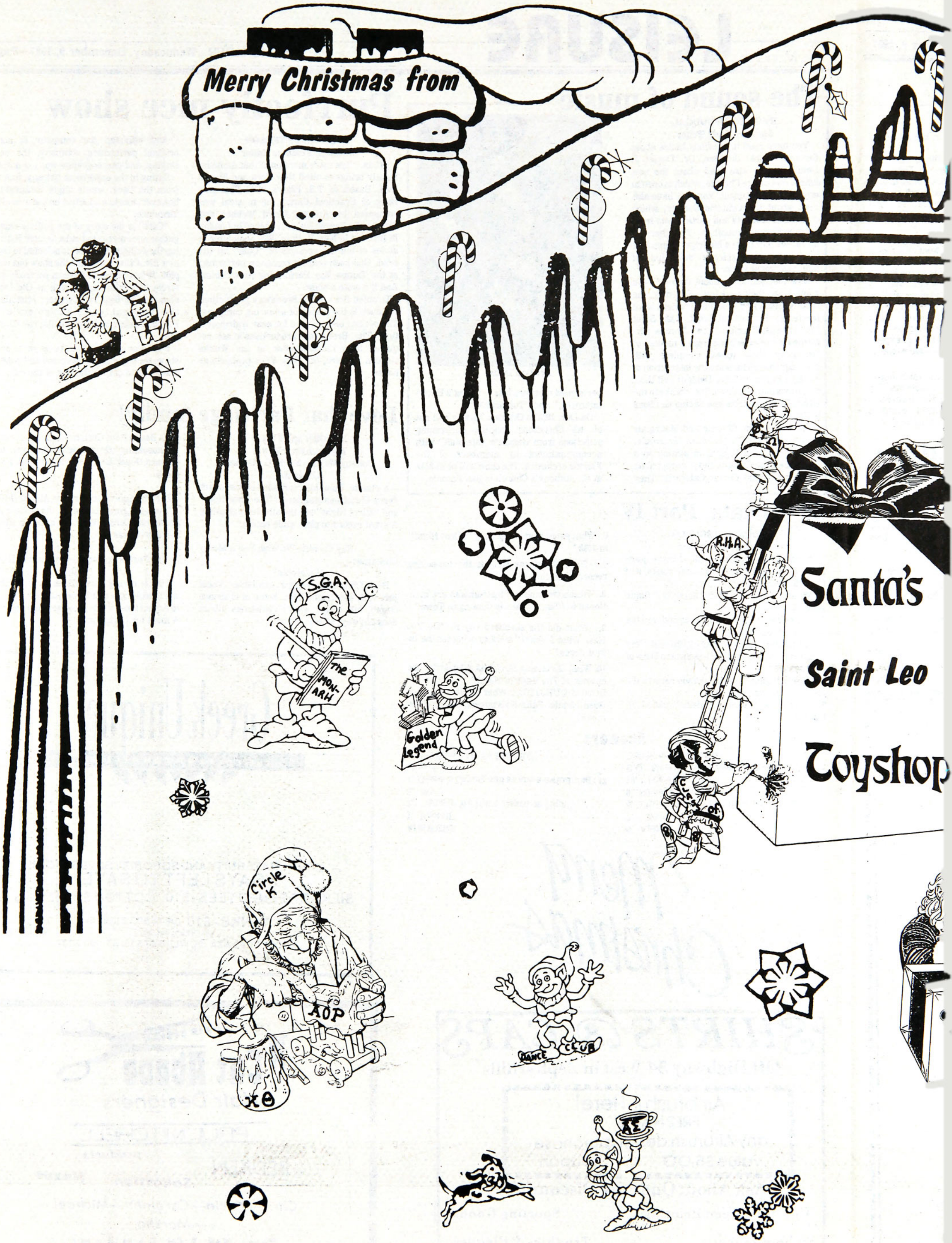


Season's Greetings From Alpha Omicron Pi, Alpha Sigma, Circle K, Class of 19

Kappa Theta, The Monarch, Phi Tau Omega, Psi Theta Epsilon, Residence Hall

Circle K, Class of 1988, College Union Board, Dance Club, Golden Legend,

on, Residence Hall Association, and the Student Government Association

ROTC: Be all that you can be

By BETH BUDD
Monarch Staff Writer

They are running while others are walking. They are singing while others are sleeping. They are marching while others are relaxing. They are the members of the Saint Leo ROTC program.

Saint Leo's ROTC is an extension of the program at the University of South Florida. This extension also includes the University of South Florida in St. Petersburg and Eckerd College. These schools are all part of a region from Maine to Florida.

Maj. Steven Davidson is the extension coordinator at Saint Leo. According to Davidson, "Last year, our program was number three out of 117 schools. Our program takes college students through the ROTC in two to four years; upon graduation, they get commissioned as a lieutenant in the Army."

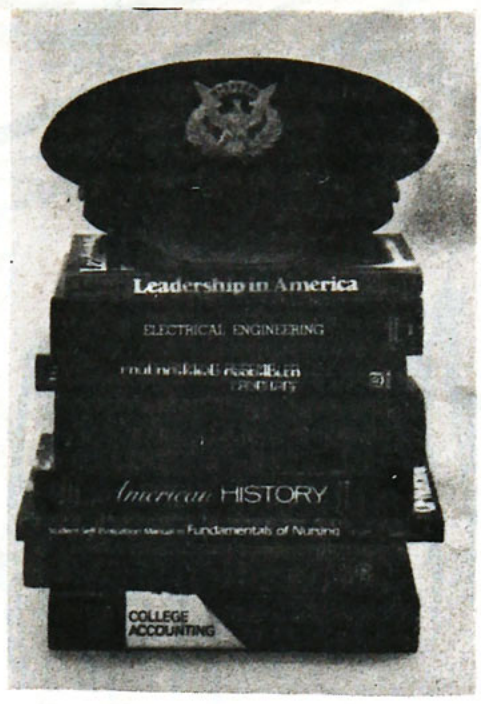
The program has both a four and a two-year program. The four-year program is for incoming freshmen and consists of the basic and advanced course. The basic course is taken the first two years and it teaches management principles, national defense, about the history of the military, and leadership development. Davidson says, "The basic course is just an elective with no obligation." All required textbooks, uniforms, and other items are free to the student.

The advanced course of the four year program is taken the final two years. It includes organization and management, ethics, professionalism, and more instruction of leadership development. Davidson says, "In the advanced course the student is obligated to accept commission as an officer at graduation."

The two-year program of the ROTC is for students at four-year colleges that were not in ROTC their first two years. It is also for students who graduated from junior or community colleges, or for high school students that want to go to a military junior college.

To join the two-year program one must attend an all expense-paid six week basic camp held in the summer between the sophomore and junior years. Also, students that are going to a military junior college attend camp the summer after high school graduation.

In the two-year program, the students learn to challenge themselves, and they gain self-confidence and self-respect. This course is a



pre-requisite for enrollment in the advanced course.

Saint Leo's ROTC offers three- and two-year scholarships, according to Davidson, "you have to have at least a 3.0 G.P.A. to apply and it pays full tuition, books, and, in addition, a $100 per month allowance. We begin taking applications in mid January."

A recent interview with cadet Serg Franks disclosed the fact that ROTC went on a recent trip to Dehlonega, Georgia. He said, "We went through mountain training which included a 250 foot night rapel off a cliff. We also learned tension climbing, and rope sliding. Others that went were Mike Stearns, Mike Vitiello, Jeff Brlecic, and Raja Rahhakrishnan. Another trip was to Fort Benning, Georgia, for a field training expedition. There, the cadets went through a leadership reaction course."

According to Davidson, "The main objective in this program is to teach basic military skills and leadership. We consider leadership to be something that can be taught because it is a combination of skills, counseling, and training."

Campus briefs: Inter-Club Council new to Saint Leo College

By GRACE REINA
Monarch Staff Writer

A recently developed organization on campus is the Inter-Club Council, also known as I.C.C. The council which began two months ago, is in charge of bringing the various organizations on campus together.

According to Sean O'Lone, the president of I.C.C., the Student Government Association allocates funds for organizational projects through the Inter-Club Council. Programs similar to I.C.C. can be found at the University of Florida. As a result of I.C.C., organizations are more aware of what is taking place on campus.

A.M.A. Sponsors Two Events

The American Marketing Association is sponsoring two major events for this semester.

One was the Library Book Sale which was held Nov. 20 and 21. The library sold over 1,500 books, both paperback and hardcover. A.M.A. did all marketing, advertising, and also the running of the book sale.

Second is the "Care Package" service for the freshman and sophomore class. A.M.A. will send parents a letter home to purchase this care package. The package will include two juices, granola cookies, candy, and anenergy bar.

A.M.A. holds its regular meetings every third Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the Lion Lounge. A guest lectures about an area of marketing. Every second Wednesday of the month is the A.M.A. dinner in Tampa.

On Nov. 18, Bob Doyle of Benito Advertising in Tampa spoke to the students of St. Leo on the impact of advertising in the Tampa area.

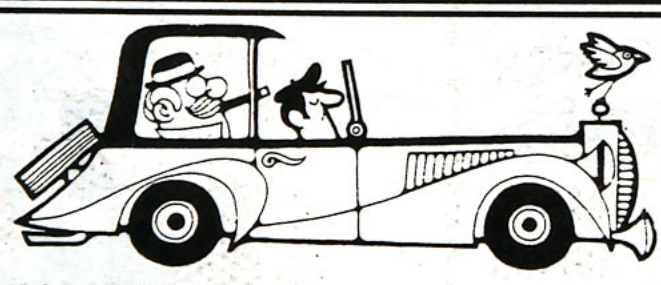
CARD CONTEST

The Residence Hall Association is once again sponsoring a Christmas Card Contest. For the first time ever RHA invited faculty and staff to participate in the contest, as well as student organizations.

The contest involved painting a Christmas card on a 4'x 8' piece of plywood.

All of the cards have been on display in front of St. Francis Hall since Dec. 11. They will remain there until the students leave for Christmas break. Then, the cards will be moved along Highway 52, where they will be displayed to the public.

The winners of the contest will be announced at the Alpha Sigma Christmas formal on Dec. 12, and they will receive cash prizes.



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And now: Club Leo

By KATHLEEN DELANEY
Monarch Staff Writer

"I'm on a quest to have a campus club," says Joseph Cromartie, Saint Leo disc jockey. "I need student participation, I can't do it on my own. Many students go off campus to keg parties; they get drunk, come home, and don't remember a thing. If they would put that energy into a club we would have a balance between academics and social life on campus. We are supposed to party in our school."

Joseph, or C.J., and his partner, Chris Delucia, are the men who D.J. most of the dances on campus. One of the hardest things they run into is keeping up with what everyone wants to hear within a certain time limit.

According to C.J., one of the most important things he has to do is get the people moving, and keep them moving. In order to do this he has got to have a program to follow. For example, he has got to know what he is going to play and keep the tempo between the songs on balance. There needs to be a "flow." "Every once in awhile," says C.J., "you've got to talk to the audience and see how things are going to boost their spirit."

"C.J." Cromartie

C.J. has hopes of starting "Club Leo" to get some school spirit and keep the students on campus. Along with that, he's trying to start "Nights" such as "Top 40 Night," "Club Night," and "Hard Rock Night."

"People don't go to dance because they don't know what is going on. But it's exactly like going to a club," stated C.J. One thing C.J. expressed was the fact that when he is DJ'ing he is playing for the audience and not for himself, despite whatever biases towards a music preference he may have.

None of this is new to C.J.; he has been doing this as a hobby since 1978 in Queens, N.Y. Since then he has been busy working private parties, school proms, making tapes and even a wedding.

When C.J. isn't mixing a tape or doing a dance, he is involved with karate, chorus, baseball, football, and his most important, making people laugh.

Crowning set for Saturday

By MARY LETCHER
Assistant Editor

The crowning of the 1987-88 Winter Queen will take place this Saturday, Dec. 12. at the annual Alpha Sigma Christmas Formal in the McDonald Cafeteria from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

All students are encouraged to join in on this special occasion, which will center around the theme "Christmas on the Orient Express." There will be plenty of food and entertainment. The event is sponsored by the College Union Board.

Tickets are $6 per person, and they can be purchased at the McDonald Cafeteria during dinner hours (4:30-6:30 p.m.) or through any Alpha Sigma Sister.

Sister Mary Clare leaving

By JOHN A. MERULLO
Monarch Staff Writer

During the first season of the TV series "Knight Rider," many episodes ended with a voice-over stating "One man can make a difference." If there is an example of any one person at Saint Leo College who has made a difference in the quality of life here, then it must surely be Sister Mary Clare Neuhofer, O.S.B. After 14 years and four positions at the college, Sister Mary Clare has decided to go on sabbatical.

Sister Mary Clare was born in St. Joseph, Florida, which is located about five miles northwest of the college. Her great-grandfather and great-great-uncle were co-founders of St. Joe. She grew up on the family chicken farm with six brothers and three sisters (another girl died in childhood, before Sister Mary Clare was born). All but one of the Neuhofer siblings still live in this general area, many very close to the college, most notably her sister Sister Dorothy Neuhofer, O.S.B. who is the director of the Daniel A. Cannon Memorial Library.

Sister Mary Clare attended Holy Name Academy, and one week after graduation, entered Holy Name Priory. She later earned a bachelor of music education degree from Mt. Saint Scholastica College.

In the fall of 1973, Sister Mary Clare was hired by the college, part-time, as Director of Religious Programs (the forerunner of today's Campus Ministry). By January 1974, the then-Dean of Women had resigned. Sister Mary Clare was asked to replace her. Her responsibilities included supervision of women's housing and discipline. In 1976, she was named Director of Residential Life, a position she held until last spring. This fall, Sister became the Assistant to the President for Campus Ministry, a position somewhat similar to her original position.

Arriving in January as new Assistant for Campus Ministry will be Sister Geraldine Warthing, O.S.F. Sometime around the first of February, Sister Mary Clare will be leaving for St. John's University in Collegeville, Minn., to pursue an M.A. degree in monastic studies/liturgical studies. After her sabbatical, she will return to Holy Name Priory.

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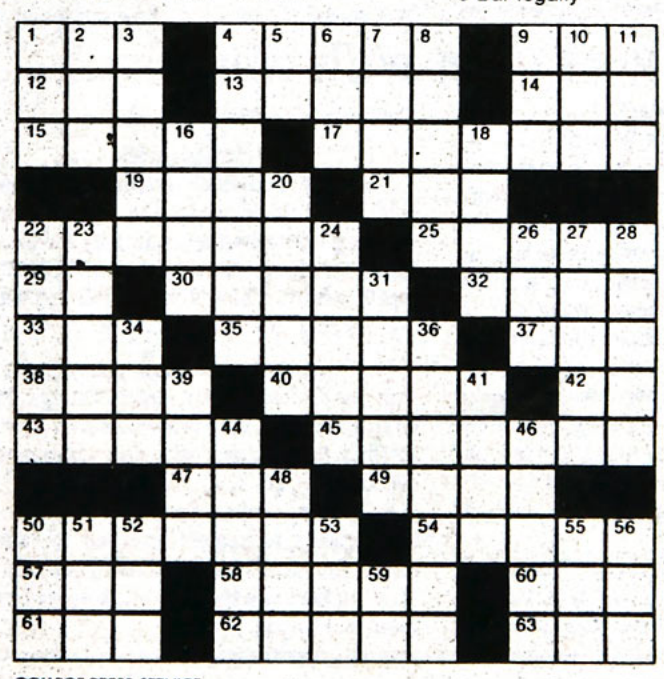

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Vinny: My time will come

By PAT YASKINSKAS
Monarch Sports Editor

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following story was based on an interview the Monarch conducted with Tampa Bay Bucs' quarterback Vinny Testaverde)

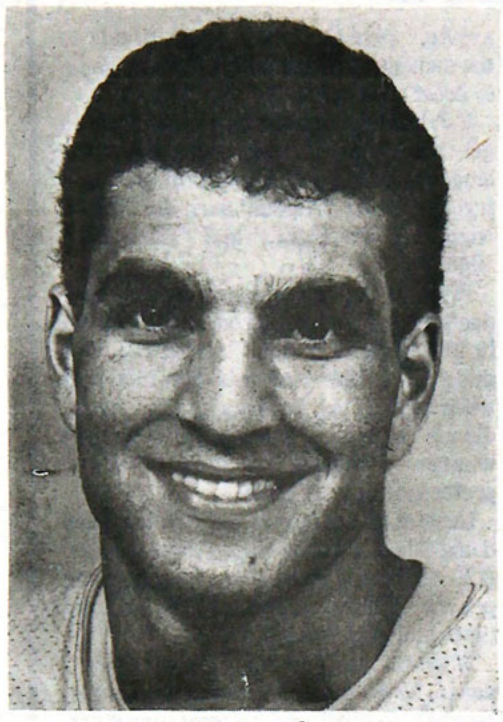
The scenario was supposed to read something like this: Heisman Trophy-winning quarterback turns pro and carries a 2-14 team to the playoffs, or perhaps the Super Bowl. The actual scenario reads more like this: Rookie quarterback keeps charts on sidelines while journeyman veteran quarterbacks the team to somewhere around a .500 season and an outside shot at the playoffs.

Sound familiar? It should since this is what has happened 35 miles down the road in Tampa. Buccaneer coach Ray Perkins has elected to go with 11-year veteran Steve DeBerg as his starting quarterback while Heisman Trophy winner Vinny Testaverde learns and watches on the sideline. A backup role is something that should be unfamiliar to Testaverde; but, in fact, he has been there before.

Vinny Testaverde was not the starting quarterback until his senior year at Sewanhaka High School in Floral Park, New York. He was not heavily recruited due to poor grades and spent a year at Fork Union Military Academy before going on to the University of Miami.

At Miami (a.k.a. Quarterback U.), Testaverde was stuck behind two great quarterbacks in Jim Kelly and Bernie Kosar.

A lack of playing time caused Testaverde to consider transferring to another school. "I



Vinny Testaverde

thought about transferring elsewhere, but I knew Miami was a great program and I hoped that I would get a chance to play," he said. That chance came when Bernie Kosar opted to pass up his eligibility to turn pro after the 1984 season. The rest is history. In just two seasons, Testaverde became Miami's all-time leader in passing yardage and touchdown passes. During his senior season, Testaverde led Miami to an 11-0 regular season, and won the Heisman Trophy, which is presented to the nation's top collegiate football player each year.

"Winning the Heisman was the highlight of my career," he said, "of course, that could change if I play on a Super Bowl winner someday." Unfortunately, his career at Miami ended in a loss to Penn State in the Fiesta Bowl, which decided the national champion. "I definitely think we had the better team," he said, "we had a tremendous amount of talent, but they were good and they were ready for us."

Testaverde was the first pick in the 1987 NFL draft by the Buccaneers. He quickly signed a contract with the Bucs, and made Tampa his home. "I didn't have any real preference as to who drafted me," he said, "it would have been nice to go to the Jets or the Giants, so that I could be close to home, but I was completely happy coming to Tampa." He was quickly welcomed by his new teammates. "They accepted me for who I am, and what I can do," he said.

Once again Testaverde has found himself waiting in the wings as Steve DeBerg quarterbacks the Bucs. "I know my time will come," he said, "for now I'm content to learn from watching Steve, but I'll be ready when they need me. I'd like to start this week, but I can wait."

The Bucs are off to their best start in recent years. Less than a year ago they were the laughing stock of the NFL, but with a new coach and many new players they are, once again, respectable. "I think that Coach Perkins brought a winning attitude with him when he came here and that attitude has spread to the players," said Testaverde.

Many people saw Vinny Testaverde as the "savior" of the Buc franchise but he does not see it that way. "I think that Coach Perkins is the savior, he has the team moving in a positive direction and will continue to do so," he said.

The NFL players strike disrupted Testaverde's rookie season, and he's glad that it's over. "I didn't have real strong feelings on the issues of the strike, but I decided it would be best not to create any hard feelings with my teammates, so I participated," he said, "I don't have any hard feelings against the replacement players. They had a chance to play in the NFL and make good money, and that is a dream for a lot of people."

It seems only a matter of time until this young man is a star in the NFL. He has all the tools. He can throw the ball 70 yards. He is amazingly quick for a man his size (6'5" 220 lbs.). He is similar to Dan Marino physically and says that he has patterned himself after Marino, on the field, due to their similar physical attributes. Off the field the biggest influences in his life have been his father and brother-in-law. His father has always been Vinny's biggest fan. This was shown after last year's Miami-Oklahoma game, when Al Testaverde told a television reporter, "My son was made for the Heisman Trophy." With the physical tools he possesses and the emotional support he receives from his family, it is inevitable that Vinny Testaverde will soon be a top-flight NFL quarterback, but for now he is content to wait patiently for his chance to be a star. He has waited before and it has paid off, and that will undoubtedly happen again.

Look for the next issue of The Monarch January 20th

Netters bouncing high

By ANDREW PHILLIPS
Monarch Staff Writer

It's been four years since three members of Saint Leo's men varsity tennis team first courted their tennis talents for Coach Tim Crosby. They were known as the "Freshmen sensation" that year. Now, all three are back. They hope to surpass their lofty position of second place in Sunshine State Conference last year. The only team that can hold a racket to them is Rollins.

"The Road to California is blocked by Rollins. We would like to go to California as a team if we can get by Rollins," said Greg Kennedy. While Jeff Daly and Chris Cannon went to California to represent Saint Leo at the Division II National Tennis tournament last season, Greg spent the summer at a club in Fort Lauderdale playing Junior players from around the world.

The success of Kennedy has been somewhat over shadowed by the two players mentioned above. "It's third or bust for me this year," said Kennedy.

"I'm really looking forward to this season," said Kennedy. He's going to be playing number 3 singles and doubles this year.

Shorts: Cagers open with win

By BILL DARNELL
Monarch Sports Writer

The 1987-88 men's and women's basketball season is underway. The men opened up with an impressive exhibition game win over Brock University. The women are looking good, but the team is only practicing with six players. Injuries have taken their toll in preseason, but everyone hopes the team will be ready for action when they open in late November. The 1987 soccer season is over with the Monarchs finishing a disappointing 2-12-2 season. The team is young and is looking forward to '88 when they will prove to people that '87 was just not their year in the Sunshine State Conference.

The cross country team finished its season with Dean Packard, Mary Letcher, George Bariso and Beth Quinn making All-Conference for the Monarchs.

Intramurals

The first semester Intramural season is just about history. In the Men's Monarch Madcap basketball tournament, TANGA beat TKE to clinch the championship. TANGA again won the Men's volleyball tournament by beating the Net Busters.

The women's volleyball tournament was won by Delta, which edged Omega in the championship. Delta is also favored to win the softball tournament with the Championship coming up Dec. 3.

In bowling action the intramural team of the strikers is heavily favored to take the crown this year. Captain Basil Emanuel says "the strikers are the best intramural bowling team in Florida."

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